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# Online Safety Newsletter

Issue 11



Dear Parent or Carer

This morning I spoke to one of our parents regarding 'Roblox' which is a user generated gaming platform.

The site is for 8+ users.

According to NSPCC Net aware, there are a number of issues parents need to be aware about:

1. In app purchase
2. Being able to talk to strangers
3. People 'you' don't know adding you

Obviously, there could be a cost involved financially, however, the main focus here would be the chance of unknown people being in contact with your child.

You can set up the privacy settings, however, you will also need to monitor these as apparently they are easily turned off.

You may wish to access the NSPCC advice on their website.

Whether your child uses this site or not will be your decision, but please remember to monitor usage carefully as it appears to be a site that may be open to unsavoury characters.

Please ensure your children are safe, and close to hand when playing this and other online games.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Andy Blakeley".

Andy Blakeley